

# UNCLE SAM TO GO AFTER DEBTORS

## State Dept. May Demand That Both France And Turkey Effect Peace And Avert New World War

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Washington, Sept. 30.—The crisis in the Near East may force the state department to soon make stern representations to both the French and Turks that peace must be effected in the Near East and the danger of a world war averted, according to the opinion expressed today by members of the Senate foreign relations committee who are still tarrying at the national capital, or who are keeping in close touch with the state department from "back home."

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts has communicated to several of his Senatorial colleagues here strong disapproval of the foreign policy which, in his judgment, encouraged Mustapha Kemal Pasha in his "drive" toward Constantinople.

**Whip Hand Passed to Paris**  
While the whip hand has apparently passed from London to Paris since Kemal crushed the Greeks, some Senators declared the attitude of France to set herself up as the dominant military nation of continental Europe, was not to be taken "too seriously."

Financial disaster awaits the French if they persist in pursuing their present military policy, it was stated by one Senator who conferred with Secretary Hughes recently, and who is familiar with the collapse of the negotiations between the foreign debt funding commission and the French government.

**France Running Into Debt**  
An examination of the last French budget now in the possession of the state department, showed that France is running 20,000,000,000 francs behind her financial resources and is expending 5,500,000,000 francs alone on her military establishment. France cannot "play such a dangerous financial game indefinitely," it was predicted, and will come to the end of her resources, sooner or later, unless she modifies the present Poincare policy of the "militarist fist."

**State Dept. Concerned**  
The state department was represented as entertaining both concern and irritation over the attitude of the French government towards the Near Eastern question and of the failure of France (1) to show the slightest disposition to pay any part of the principal or interest on the United States (2) to ratify the naval limitation treaty or any of the other major parts of the Washington conference and (3) to discourage the impression that even more important than French military supplies was the French military advice which contributed largely to the Turkish victory which is said to be construed at Paris as adding immeasurably to French military prestige, while overthrowing at the same time the whole British Near East policy with resulting complications of the gravest nature which now threaten to involve the United States.

**TO ISSUE BONDS**  
(By International News Service.)  
Washington, Sept. 30.—The U. S. C. today authorized the New York, Chicago and St. Louis railroad to assume liability for \$3,150,000 of five percent certificates to be issued by the Union Trust Company of Cleveland and to be sold at not less than 98 percent of par. The proceeds are to be used to buy equipment.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fox and child, of Cherry Run, were shoppers in the city today.

**E. GARNER'S SPECIALTY SHOP**  
Will be closed all day Monday on account of Jewish Holiday. 1p 1t

**STORE CLOSED MONDAY**  
On account of Jewish Holiday, our store will be closed all day Monday. 1p 1t

**CUNNINGHAM'S PAVEMENT**  
The 125 foot pavement the city ordered Misses Mamie and Rose Cunningham to have made on College Alley has been finished. Bid accepted, and the work paid for by the Misses Cunningham. 9 30 1p 1t 1p

**CREAM WANTED**  
Will pay 35c cash.  
H. R. REYNOLDS,  
Opposite B. & O. Freight.  
9 20 1p 1t 1p

**WANTED**  
Apple pickers to pick at Stewart's orchard. We pay 12c per barrel, beginning Monday, Oct. 2. Truck leaves Public Square 6.30 a. m. sharp. Returning in evening. Apply 125 West King Street.  
JOHN W. STEWART.  
10 1t

## British Cabinet Is Preparing To Levy Increased Income Taxes In Event Of War Being Declared On Turkey

By DAVID M. CHURCH.  
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London, Sept. 30.—With Premier Lloyd-George presiding, the Cabinet met at noon today to consider the immediate summoning of Parliament for discussion of the war menace in Asia Minor. Estimates of the cost of war against Turkey have been prepared and the government is ready to levy increased income taxes.

General Charles Harrington, British commander in the Near East, has again demanded withdrawal of Mustapha Kemal Pasha's Turkish nationalist troops from the neutral zone on the Turkish Straits. It was not known if a time limit was given to the Turks.

## Seven Dead; Ten Injured In Holocaust

New York, Sept. 30.—Seven persons are dead and ten injured as a result of a fire which swept through a five-story apartment building at 241 West 109th street, in the heart of the fashionable upper West Side, early today. Police believe a fire bug set the blaze.

The dead are: Wilbur Penn, 45; Wilbur Penn, Jr., his son, 16; William Hummel, 16; Harry Hoff, 45; Irene Hoff, 21; Flora Hoff, 18; unidentified boy about 12.

Three firemen were injured trying to rescue the sleeping tenants and seven tenants were burned or injured in leaping from windows. All were taken to hospitals.

**Starts On Second Floor**  
According to firemen, the blaze started on the second floor and raged upwards. The tenants on the upper floors became panic stricken when smoke filled their apartments and they found escape by means of the stairways cut off. Many of them leaped from windows. Some rushed to the roof. Firemen made many sensational rescues. The heroic rescue work prevented the death toll from being much larger. One fireman, Thomas Kivens, was overcome as he was making his fifth trip from the building carrying an unconscious tenant.

**Jumps To Death**  
One of the lads who was killed met his death in jumping from the roof.

Firemen yelled to him to wait as he would be rescued in a few minutes, but he was panic stricken and jumped.

Pelle reported that shortly before the fire was discovered a blaze was started in the hallway of an adjoining building. That blaze was extinguished by Henry Dent, a tenant. He told police he had heard a noise in the hallway and upon opening the door, discovered the fire at the foot of the stairway. A few minutes after he had extinguished the blaze, he said, a stranger walked into the building and carefully examined the charred steps. When Dent spoke to him he fled.

**COMMITTEE MEETS.**  
A meeting of the Republican County Executive Committee is being held this afternoon, at which time a chairman and vice chairman are to be selected. It was rumored this morning that a woman would be selected as vice chairman.

**LOOKS BUSY.**  
Already fifteen tents for concessions are erected at Rosemont Park for the big affair next week and many more are to come.

**War Office Prepared.**  
Despite opposition from the labor element and a section of the press, the government daily continues its war preparation. The war office is prepared to issue a call to arms.

Orders for munitions are being given and troop movements continue under way. The population is calm. The people went about their usual week-end holidaying with apparently no thought of a new war.

Another meeting of the cabinet was summoned for five o'clock this afternoon.

J. R. Clynes, one of the foremost leaders of the labor party and a former member of the government, is vigorously protesting against the war measures.

"Our Ministers," said he, "are suing for peace meanwhile indulging in proclamations indicating war. They are threatening to undertake obligations which could not be sustained by a single military effort."

Mustapha Kemal Pasha, commander of the Turkish nationalists, is said to have left Smyrna. But whether he is going to Ismid or Mudania to confer with General Harrington or whether he is enroute for Ankara to consult with members of the national assembly, was not officially known here.

It is reported that Kemal told General Pelle, French high commissioner at Constantinople that he would NOT withdraw the Turks from the vicinity of Chanak where the British have created a powerful military position, garrisoned with soldiers and marines supported with artillery, a powerful war fleet and airplanes.

Kemal has brought up artillery to support the Turks.

There are persistent rumors in Constantinople that the Turks have circulated secret orders to "prepare for a conflagration in this city and to be prepared to help kill the Christians."

Denial was made at the Italian Embassy that Rome is withdrawing all troops and all civilians from Constantinople. It is known, however, that all the Allied civilians and probably all the Allied troops but the British would depart from Constantinople immediately if an outbreak occurred. Admiral Mark Bristol, U. S. N., has made arrangements to evacuate all Americans.

Some of them already have departed.

Turkish nationalists have completed their occupation of the north-western corner of Asia Minor, taking up positions north and south of the Gulf of Andrampli on the coast.

**Planes Bomb Ships.**  
Turkish airplanes, operating from the region of Andrampli, are reported to have bombed Greek ships at Mitylene.

Washington, Sept. 30.—M. Caneopolous has assumed the portfolio of foreign affairs in the new Greek government, the Greek legation here was advised today.

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## "Policy Of Frankness" Adopted By U. S. To Bring The European Debtors To Comply With Terms

## PLANS COMPLETE FOR MARTINSBURG FAIR OPENING TUESDAY

Committee Makes Ready At Meeting Last Night

An important meeting of the Martinsburg Fair Association was held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms last night, at which final plans for the opening of the fair next week, which, from present indications, bids fair to out do many of the fairs held in this vicinity. Many matters of importance were discussed, which must be attended to at the last minute, such as the policing of the grounds and concessions, handling the large crowds anticipated, the taking of tickets at the concessions, the arranging of the daily programs, and many other matters.

Murphy's Greater Shows are expected to arrive on Sunday, and work will commence at once erecting their tents on the grounds. It may be possible that these concessions will be open Monday night for business, but it has not fully been decided. Tuesday will be entrance day for all exhibits, and they must be in position in the various departments by noon. This will be school children's day and all children of the city and county schools will be admitted free. The afternoon will be devoted to the judging of all exhibits, these will be in the hands of competent out-of-town judges. At noon on this day, or shortly after, the big street parade will take place, consisting of the Murphy shows, the local band, marshals of the fair, and many commercial displays.

Wednesday the Independent with the Martinsburg Independent Drum Corps, is to be in attendance. On Thursday Comrey's Concert Band will furnish the music, and the horse and pony show will be held to take place at 2.30 o'clock. On Friday the riding tournament will occur, and the Marlboro Band will be in attendance. The tournament takes place at 2.30.

On each of these days beginning at 2.30 the free exhibitions will take place, starting with the aerial circus, the renowned Howards, Prince Nelson, the airplane flight, and stunts, and the balloon ascension and parachute leap, concluding with the high diving body. These attractions will be repeated at night, with the addition of fireworks with several acts concluding with a wonderful pyrotechnic display. At night dancing will take place on the dancing pavilion, Monday, Tuesday, and Saturday being given over to the square dance, at which Wright's and Lewis' orchestra will furnish music. On Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, the big nights of the fair, the celebrated Mills Maryland Seven, of Cumberland, Md., will furnish music for round dancing. In case of cold weather the dancing pavilion will be inclosed.

The management has crowded into the afternoons and evenings all that could be given the public in their endeavors to have them leave the grounds more than satisfied, and with the attractions offered they are sure to pay the fair a daily visit. There will be more to amuse in one afternoon and evening than has ever before been attempted in Martinsburg. Get ready to spend a big time. Admission 25 cents for adults; children 15 cents.

**IF YOU WANT BARGAINS**  
In Mens' and Boys' Suits, Shoes, Sweaters, Hats, etc., come here to night for we will be closed Monday on account of Jewish Holiday.  
THE HUB—"Sells It Cheaper."  
1p 1t

**PAVING BIDS.**  
Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Recorder on or before 12 o'clock noon, the 26th day of October, 1922 for the laying of a concrete sidewalk on the east side of Maryland Ave. fronting the properties of Stewart Street, Gille Dunn and Miss Sallie Harris.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and award the contract as it deems best to the interest of the City.

Signed,  
JOHN H. ZIRKLE,  
City Recorder.  
9 25 27 30 10 5 20 1p

**Notice To Taxpayers**  
City taxes for 1922 will be in my hands for collection Oct. 1st. A discount of 2 1/2 per cent if paid before Dec. 1st.  
Hattie L. Zapp,  
City Sergeant.  
9 27 1p 4t

**FORD SEDAN FOR SALE**  
Excellent condition, completely equipped. Address A. Care Journal.  
9 30; 10 1p

**Will Erect 18 Houses On Ky. Ave**  
Contractor Merle Cox, of West King street, is doing his very best to alleviate any real or fancied house shortage in Martinsburg and at the same time puncture the excessive rent boom. Already he has erected ten new frame residences, single and double structures, on Kentucky avenue, and now he is starting a \$50,000 program of sixteen more residences on the same street, which he will cut through from John to King street. He is building these homes single and double, to sell around \$3,500 and \$3,100. Like the others he built on Kentucky avenue they are substantial, cozy interiors, equipped with modern conveniences, furniture, etc. In the near future coming to a close Mr. Cox has built thirty-two houses, including a few for private parties. The last ten houses finished were sold in eleven days. Mr. Cox and associates have named the new addition "Hazelwood."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Trammell, South Maple avenue, have returned from a brief visit to Pittsburgh, Pa.

**SEIZE MARTIN PICTURES**  
Huntington, Sept. 29.—Motion pictures of the Bob Martin-Bill Brennan boxing exhibition at Ashland, Ky., July 4, which were seized by Federal officers yesterday, while being shown at a local theatre, will probably never be shown again, it was believed today. Under the Federal statute prohibiting the transportation of fight films into interstate commerce, films confiscated are supposed to be destroyed.

No arrests had been made today and it is not known if the district attorney will press the case against Joe Sander, promoter of the fight and owner of the pictures.

**OVER THE HILLS**  
A woman and her five children, who have been living in a box car at the West Quarry, have been removed to the county farm. They were in a distressed condition. The husband of the woman, named Hanna, was killed in a quarry accident some years since.

Midshipman Carl K. Zimmerman, of the U. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., spent yesterday with the family of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lewis, South Queen street.

**OWENS FINED**  
In Justice Fred H. Baker's court Friday afternoon Theodore Owens, of near Ridgeway, was fined \$50 and costs for assault and battery upon Mrs. Anna Owens, wife of his son. In default of the fine the man was remanded to jail.

**PAVING BIDS.**  
Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Recorder on or before 12 o'clock noon, the 26th day of October, 1922, for the laying of a concrete sidewalk and gutter on the west side of Faulkner Ave. fronting the property of Louis Bell, heirs.